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> Kilitary Information: Soviet Occupation of the International Bridge (between Anting and Simulju)

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25 July 1947

1 SUPPLEMENT.

ORIGIN

SUBJECT

On 7 June the Soviet Army troops stationed on the Simulju (Shingishu) (124-24, 10-06) side of the International Bridge crossed to the Antung (121-22, 40-08) side and took over control of the entire bridge. Note: According to Chapter 7 of Jamis #75, there are two parallel bridges over the Yalu River Note: According 25X1A between Antung and Simiju.)

- 2. This bridge had formerly been guarded by the Chinese Mationalist troops up to the midway point between the Korean and Marchurian shores, the recognized international boundary between Korea and Memchuria.
- The Chinese Nationalist Peace Preservation Corps troops which were still occupying Antung on 7 June protested the Soviet action, but the Sovieta answered that it was the responsibility of the Soviet Army to prevent the destruction of the bridge by either the Chinese Nationalist or the Chinese Communist troops, and that they therefore considered it necessary to occupy the full length of the bridge.
- No further action was taken by the Chinese Nationalist troops and the Seviets were left in complete possession of the bridge.

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